

PATENT**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 11, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims in accordance with the following rewritten claims in clean form. Applicant includes herewith an Attachment for Claim Amendments showing a marked up version of each amended claim.